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**Subject: Yes on expansion of Sanctuary south**

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We will be unable to attend your upcoming Sanctuary Advisory Council meetings. We know of others who would also like the expansion of the sanctuary border south of Cambria to include our coastline.

Unfortunately due to the short notice, we just found out today, they will not be able to be contacted. A matter of this importance needs to be widely published with correct data. We have found in today's overwhelming input of issues that people are overwhelmed and many are giving up. Others do not take the time to get all the information on a subject and therefore are sometimes swayed by misinformation. A matter of this vital importance needs careful consideration and discussion to save a very special coast line: remember this area is critical to the Pacific Flyway.

Therefore, please make sure copies of this letter are given to the Council members to help them know of our wishes and others to expand your sanctuary south.

Thank you,  
Marie and Jim Smith